

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

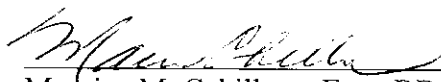
JAMES M. PLASSE)
 Plaintiff)
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vs.)
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TYCO ELECTRONICS)
CORPORATION,)
 Defendant)

Civil Action No. 04-CV-30056-MAP

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I have conferred with my client with a view to establishing a budget for the cost of conducting the course of litigation and to consider the resolution of litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs.

Dated: 12/30/04


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